

Course Title: Acoustic Guitar For Beginners: The Songs of John Fogerty, Carole King, and More

Course Code: MUS 60

Quarter: Summer '21

Instructor Name: Lisa Sanchez

**Course Schedule: Tuesdays, 7:00 – 8:50 pm,
10 weeks, 6/22 – 8/24/21**

**Required Text(s): Hal Leonard Guitar Method Book 1 - Will Schmid/Greg Koch
(ISBN 978-0-7935-3392-3)**

**Requirements for a Letter Grade and/or Credit: Please see instructor.
Students must attend at least 7 out of 10 live classes to qualify for letter grade or credit.**

Note on Recording: Class sessions will be recorded and available to students for the duration of the course. Due to the interactive nature of the course, students should plan to attend live.

Weekly Outline

Week 1 – 6/22/21

- Tuning / playing position, new chords/songs, introduction to musical notation and rhythms. Notes on the first string (Schmid pgs. 6-7).

Week 2 – 6/29/21

- Review and play previous week's material. Basic guitar care, how to change a string, etc. New chords/song, right hand pattern. Notes on the second string (Schmid pgs.8-10).

Week 3 – 7/6/21

- Review and play previous week's material. New chords/songs. Notes on the third string (Schmid pgs.11-14).

Week 4 – 7/13/21

- Review and play previous week's material. New chords/song, new right hand pattern. Using a pick. Chord review. Notes on the fourth string, ties and note review (Schmid pgs.15-21).

Week 5 – 7/20/21

- Review and play previous week's material. New chords/song, new right hand pattern. Notes on the fifth string (Schmid pgs. 22-23).

Week 6 – 7/27/21

- Review and play previous week's material. New chords/song. Notes on the sixth string (Schmid pgs. 24-25). Brief history of the guitar.

Week 7 – 8/3/21

- Review and play previous week's material. New song, new right hand patterns. Using a capo. Accidentals and key signatures (Schmid pgs. 26-27).

Week 8 – 8/10/21

- Review and play previous week's material. New song. Rests (Schmid pgs. 28-29).

Week 9 – 8/17/21

- Review and play previous week's material. New song. Eighth notes (Schmid pgs. 30-32).

Week 10 – 8/24/21

- Review and play previous week's material.
- Group performances, Q & A wrap up.